

## House Resolution No. 4144

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State residents who have proven to be invaluable citizens through their impressive leadership accomplishments in local communities and neighborhoods; and

**Whereas**, Donald C. Orf of Saint Louis has attained considerable distinction as the Business Representative for Plumbers and Pipefitters Local 562, an endeavor which he brought to a close during June 2004 in retirement; and

**Whereas**, a Journeyman Plumber for forty years, Donald Orf developed and maintained an exceptional reputation as a part-time instructor of gas welding, lead burning, and other shop classes at Plumbers Local 35 School, and as a part-time officer on the Finance Committee, two-term member of the Executive Board, and one-term President of Local 562 before his election six years ago as Business Representative; and

**Whereas**, Donald Orf also deserves mention of his service on the Executive Board of South County Labor Club and the Executive Board of the Jefferson County Labor Club; as Vice President of the Jefferson County Labor Club; as a member of the Board of Directors of the Concordia Turners Gymnastics Society, Concordia Turners Activities Club, and Elks; as a coach for Little League; and as a volunteer entertainer at retirement homes, nursing homes, and Concordia Turners shows; and

**Whereas**, Donald Orf has admirably supported the democratic foundations of our state and nation through his active involvement in many political campaigns; and

**Whereas**, Donald Orf is the beloved husband of Judy; loving father of Donald, Jr., Steven, and David; wonderful father-in-law of Kathy, Linda, and Diane; and devoted grandfather of Tyler, Alex, Evan, Bethany, Nathaniel, Maggie, and Mitchell:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the long, productive career engaged in by Donald Orf and to convey to him this legislative body's heartiest congratulations and our best wishes as he partakes of the special opportunities and pleasures traditionally associated with the golden years of retirement; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of Donald C. Orf of Saint Louis, Missouri.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Sue Schoemehl  
District No. 100

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 4144, adopted September 23, 2004.

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Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker